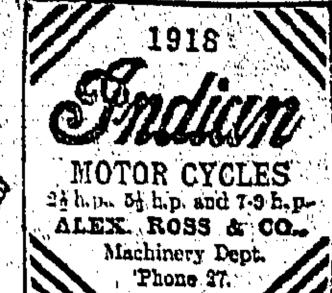
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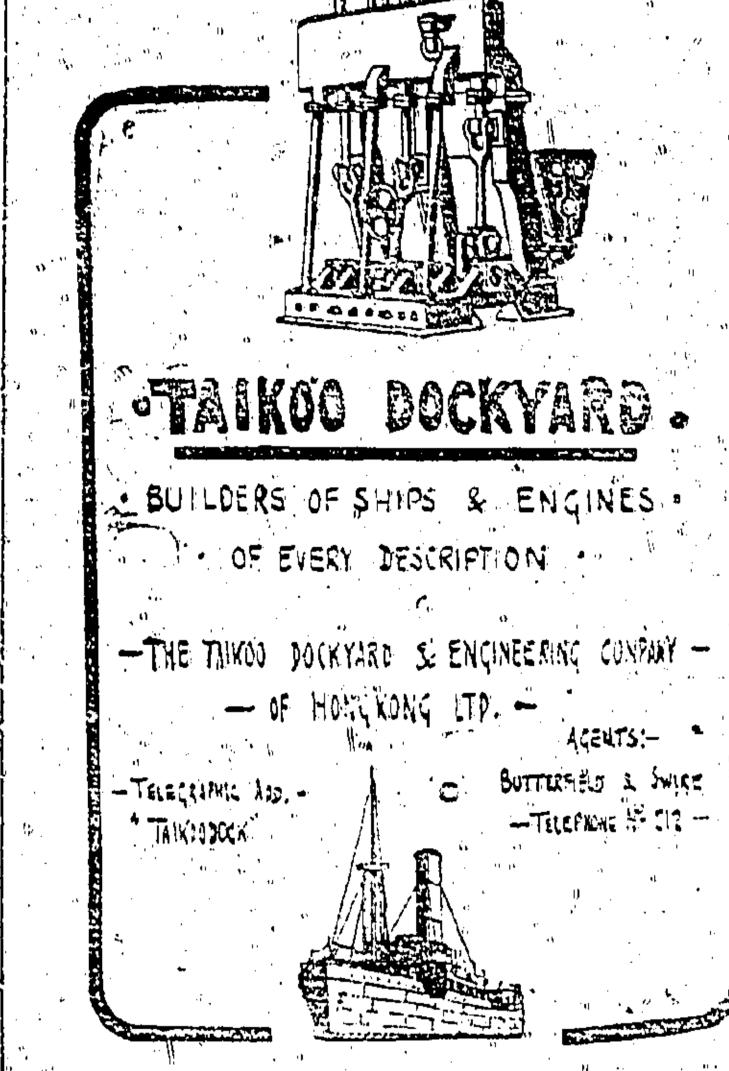
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SELVES MANIFICENTRY. "" LONDON, Aug. 10. Beuter's Correspondent at British

Headquarters says:--The British and American assault commanded by General Humbert. between the Ancre and the Somme. inentioned by Sir Douglas Haig, was pushed home in 40 minutes when the vitally important Chipilly spur was

Morlancourt was captured after fierce hand-to-hand fight..." South of the Somme cavalry an strong infantry patrols entered Folies, Beaufort, Warvillers, Rossiers, Vauxillers and the front of Rouvroy-en-Santefre by dark.

The Australians entered Labons so swiftly that they captured the German Divisional Headquarters complete. The train which the cavalry captured was a leave train. The Americans yesterday gave a magnificent account of themselves.

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FRENCH ATTACK ON TWELVE-

. BY ALLIES: London, Aug. 10. Reuter learns that the French attacked at dawn between Montdidier plete success and from the north and the Oise, along a twelve-mile front and attained a depth of four

miles in six hours. There is little doubt that Montdidier "has fallen."

The French captured a hundred guns, in addition to those previously

The enemy is probably thrown back from the gun range of the Paris-Arniens railway" at St. Just, where the Allies last night used "the ruil-

The enemy is completely cleared from the secondary line from Amiens.

The Chaulnes railway junction. under heavy field-gun fire and quite "unusable by the Germans. The enemy, therefore, does possess railways for reinforcements. One the Montdidier, Oise front eleven enemy Divisions have so far been identified.

FRENCH CAPTURE SEVERAL POINTS.

MONTDIDIER FALLS TO THE FRENCH.

3,000 PRISONERS CAPTURED I THREE DAYS.

> LONDON, Aug. 11. 4 a.m.

A French communique states:-Our attacks on the Avre buttlefront continued all day with increasing succers. Montdidier, outlianked of Kemmel, taking prisoners. on the east and north, fell in the

We are continuing our victorious advance on the right of the British. We pushed ten kilometres to: the cast of Montdidier on the front of Andechy-La Boissiere-Fescomps, extending and acting to the couth-east. We attacked German positions on the right and left of the St. Just-Roye road on a front of twenty

We enplured Rollet, Orvillers, Soxel: Ressons-sur-Matz, "Conchy-le Pots, Neuville-mir-Sessons and Elincourt, advillacing ten lillometres at curtain points.

The French in three days, fighting advanced over twenty kilometres along the Amena-Itoye road and captured over 8,000 prisoners:

among the enormous material aban-

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

HOW MONTDIDIER FELL.

SAVE ROYE. Paris Aug. 111

A semi-official report states:-Montd'd'er fell owing to the combined movement on the right wing 19f General Debeney's Army and the left wing of the Third French Army,

> ENEMY CONTEMPLATING VIOLENT COUNTER-OFFENSIVE

The Mohamel states scouting aerophus's report that strong enemy colimns are advancing by forced Snarches from Cambrai, Peronne and St. Quentini Apparently the enemy is contemplating a violent counteroffensive in order to save Roye, the fall of which, so far, is not con-

THE GENERAL LINE OF THE

LONDON, Aug. 11,

Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports? — An attack was launched on the evening of the 9th in accordance with the Allied plan by the right of the French First Army to the south of Montdidier. It was developed byour Allies in the morning with com-

and south-east Montd dier was eneveloped and fell-into the hands of the French before mid-day with many prisoners and quantities of The advance of the French First

Army continued throughout the day in co-operation with the French Army on the right of the British Fourth Army.

"The British, pressing hard the retreating Germans to the south of Lihons, overcame the enemy's resistance and made substantial pro-

The general line reached by the Allies now runs north to south from Libons, Fresnoy, Les Roye, Lignieres and Conchy-les-Pots. The number of prisoners is increasing.

BRITISH PROGRESS FURTHER.

Rield-Marshal Sir Douglas Hing

In a successful operation at night. we advanced our line to the north of the Somme on the high ground between Etinehem und Demancourt. Fighting to the south of the river is reported at different points:

. The French progressed along the, south bank of the Avre and reached the outskirts of Le Chellestaurin. We repulsed a local attack in the"

morning on positions to the north

We drove off raiders to the north We blightly improved our positions to the east of Robecca-

ALLIES PROGRESS AGAIN.

London, Aug. 11.

A French communiqué states :-Last evening and last night we progressed again on the whole front between the Avic had the Oise. We curried the Doulogne-la-Grasse Massif alld advanced east of Bus.

Further south we penetrated the wooded region between the Matz and the Oise and reached the outskirts of La Berliene and Cuty and took Mareuil-la-Motte:

We advanced about three kilo-We have counted so fur 200 gins metres north of Chevincourt.

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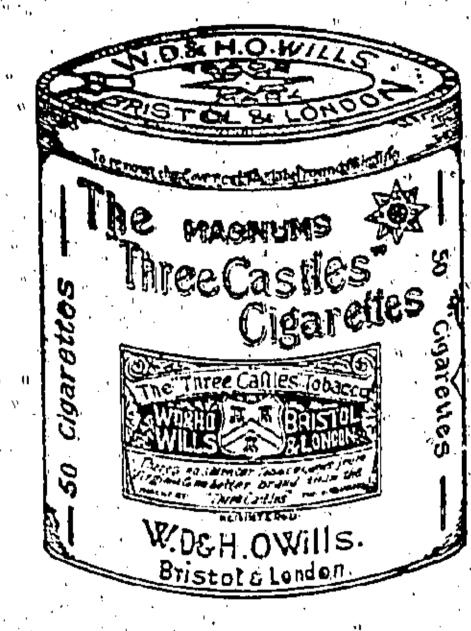
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Without internal policy to guide her, and bereft of the assistance which an advantage in the East. The rest of the steamer to another port. world, with its eyes upon the Western offensive, contents itself with saying: Russia betrayed us. Let her go her It is the duty of the Allies, acting in unison, to decide immediately on a united policy towards Russia, not only

for the moment, but for the years that are to follow. The Germans, have a Mr. Mori, and five other members of the Shimonoseki office of the company who

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definite programme. It is working well. The first step was to throw Russia into confusion so that Russia should no longer be a military factor. Next they wished Russia to become dependent on them industrially. Peasants, fanned to Russia is the most important problem fury by German propaganda; have in the world to-day. The Russias industrial system to a menace is this, writes a correspondent state of impotence, which makes German educed Russias industrial system to a state of impotence, which makes German educed Russian needs. The Times:—Whatever Power, or impotence, which makes German agents that every day he received congratulations, best wishes and promises of everywhere will be the first to start support from all sides. For instance, reorganisation of an imperialistic and mittees, representatives of the Tomsk

> THE DISASTROUS EXPLOSION AT SHIMONOSEKI

The following details of the above disaster are taken from the Nagasaki

MANY KILLED AND INJURED.

A report received from Shimonoseki co-operating. states that a big explosion occurred in the vicinity of the railway station there at 11.50 on Friday night and created considerable alarm and excitement in

It was later learned that a quantity | deserved rest. of military explosives, said to consist it is reported that General Plesokoff of 240 tons of powder, which had arrived left Grodekovo for Vladivostok, and has overland from Tokio a few days previous- assumed command of all troops in the

The railway embankment supporting the permanent way and the sheds on the pier were wrecked whilst twenty-six the express company's nien were blown up. Three hours later, four bodies of the company's employees were The manager of the express company

were on the scene at the time of the A train which was just ready to leave for Kyato was badly affected by the explosion, the forward cars of the same being practically wrecked, windows smashed and roofs torn off. There were between 300 and 400 passengers on the train at the time and many of them were injured. The first-class cars suffered the greatest, and several Japanese gentlemen, amongst them being Mr. Eato of the Kobe office of "uzuki Shoten, were badly injured, chiefly about the head and face. In the circumstances the departure of the train was postponed and the injured passengers were given and the injured passengers were given first aid treatment at the station, the more seriously injured being removed to

Many dwelling houses and buildings in the vicinity were much damaged. among them being the Sanyo Hotel, Cuntom House, engine sheds and atation buildings, and also the near by Japanese hotels. The smashing of window glass took place at some distance, away and seems to have been the principal damage suffered beyond the immediate vicinity of the explosion.

THE POSITION IN SIBERIA.

INTERVIEW WITH GEN. HORVATH

autocratic Government, controlled by mittees, representatives of the Tomak Germany. In five years, easily acquired and Ussuriak Republican Party, repreconcessions will give Germany a grip on sentatives of the Amur Labour, Cossacks. Russian affairs which will be unshakable. Zemstvo and Municipal Councils, the In ten years or earlier we shall see a Buriat National Committee of the Trans-Russo-German alliance again menacing Baikal district, and many other the peace of the world at a dozen points: representatives of different political Il of these dangers are lowical and parties all express the belief that General clear. The first steps have already been Horvath is the only man at the present taken by the Germans, and while the difficult and important political moment Allies puzzle over policies the Germans who is able to unite all parties, restore

order in Russia and renew hostilities against Germany.

General Horvath declared that he was sure that all patriots would assist him to carry the heavy burden and take up the responsibility, and that despite the endeavours of the werst elements to provoke a social counter-revolution he was of the opinion that truth would prevail and that all classes of the population, witnessing the rightcourness of his

aims, would support him. General Horvath has arrived at an agreement with the Czecho-Slovaks, with whom his troops are already Reliable information states that General Simionov's troops, after crossing

the Chinese frontier in full order, are now camping a few versts east of the locality, an explusion of the military Manchuria Station and after two weeks' magazines being at first feared. ceaseless fighting are enjoying a well

and bereft of the assistance which an Allied constructive policy might give, Allied constructive policy might give, she drifts to-day, helpless and hopeless, a wreck on the sea of history, while, a wreck on the sea of history, while, exploded. The work was being carried out by the Naikoku Tsuun Kaisha, an methodically and painstakingly, the methodically and painstakingly, the out by the Naikoku Tsuun Kaisha, an explosion out by the explosion out by the Naikoku Tsuun Kaisha, an explosion out by the exp

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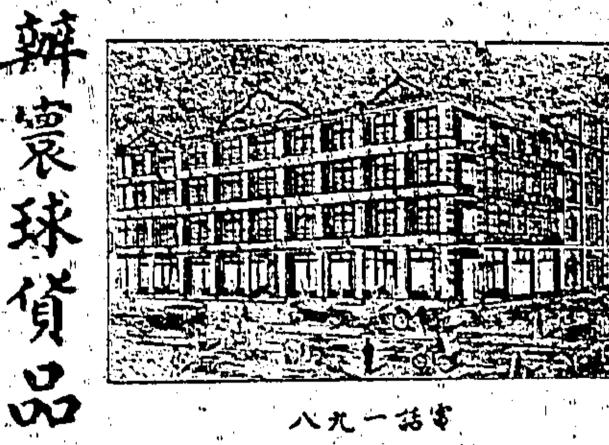
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N. YANAGITA, HONGKONT BRANCH: 2. Des Voerx Road. Hongkong, May 2, 1918. 380 I began to-day.

# WAR.

(Continued from Page 5.)

AMIENS BATTLE THE ADVANCE CONTINUES.

LONDON, Aug. 9. The French and British advances

which continues, has reached a maximum depth of 11 miles. Cavalry, armoured cars and Tanks are preceding the infantry, and have arrived within a mile of Chanlness day.

iunction. Ten thousand prisoners so for hav been counted.

NO CHANGE ON BATTLE-FRONT

LONDON, August 9. A French communiqueé states:-There is no change on the battle front. South of the Somme there was some enemy artillery firing during the night, Enemy raids in Champagne, in the regions of Presnes, Mont Sansnom, and Sonain were repulsed.

**ALLIES CAPTURE 14,000 PRISONERS** FRENCH TAKE FRESNOY EN-

FOE RESISTS YIGOROUSLY.

CHAUSSE.

London, Aug. 9. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig

Our progress on the buttle front The French have taken Fresnov en-Chausse.

The British are now to the east of Le Quesnel and Caix. The enemy is vigorously resisting

651 northward of the Somme. There was heavy fighting between Chipilly and Morlancourt. The Allies have captured upwards of

14,000 prisoners. The number of guns cannot yet be estimated. The enemy continued to evacuate his forward positions in the Lye Valley and our line was advanced between the Lawe and Bourre rivers, north-westward

of Merville, to a maximum depth of 2,000 yards. We hold Locon, Le Cornet Malo, Quentin-le Petit, Pacaut and Lesart. We advanced our line a short distance on upwards of 1,000 yards front to the north of Kemmel, taking Tover 30 prisoners.

HAIG'S STRATEGIC PLAN.

REMARKABLE RESULTS

ACHIEVED. LONDON, Aug. 0.

The heavy blow delivered by Sir Douglas Haig vesterday is regarded not. as an attempt to hack through, but as part of a great strategic plan which Marshal Foeb is carrying out, now that he has the initiative. In the purpose of further relieving Amiens and recovering perfect freedom for manceuvre, Marshal Foch, by maintaining an offensive pressure on the Germans; not merely embarrasses them in a desperate way in delaying the battle they are fighting on the Vesle in order to secure their retreat across the Aisne, but is

threatening their general position, for if pushed far enough in yesterday's attack it may compel the withdrawal of the enemy from the apex of the Montdidier salient, which threatens both Paris and

Such a development, however, is a pure speculation at the present stage. The -results already gained are sufficiently remarkable in themselves, in view of the waterlogged ground, and the fact that the enemy was completely surprised in the sector which fought very hard to conquer, and which, as his recent counter-attack on the Ancre showed, he regarded as most

important. Much gratification is expressed in London and Paris at entrusting Field Marshal Haig with the command of the operation, as showing a new development in the principle of unity of command.

THE BATTLE OF THE AYRE.

ALLIED PRESSURE NOT RELAXED.

General Debeney since then has

not relaxed the pressure, with the

result that he held the banks of the

Avre from its branches to and be-

youd Fragicourt, when the attack

LONDON, Aug. 9. Reuter's Correspondent at French In the House of Commons, Mr. Headquarters, telegraphing at Boner Law said that, on a front of 20 kilometres, between Morlancourt and o'clock last evening, states:-Montdidier," by three o'clock "we find. The battle on the Avre line is proreached all our objectives and captured guessing well on the whole front of 100 guns and 7,000 prisoners. the attack. Our troops have establi advance, which was to a dopth lished themselves on the plateau between 4 or 5 miles, reached 7 miles overlooking the Avre Valley from the at one point. The ground gained being cast, and are deploying thereon for a immediatedly in front of Amiens, its continuation of the attack.

strategic importance is obvious. There is every reason for con-The attack completely surprised the Division of the Siamese Army.—En.1 fidence. It must be remambered Germans and has upset whatever plans they had formed. The result may be taken as an indication of the completechange in the military position which which were most successful in pushhas occurred recently. ing back the Germans and taking

WE ARE SMASHING THROUGH:"

Mr. Lloyd George, arriving at Cardiff last night, on route to the Eisteddiod read to a huge crowd on the platform. s telegram he had just received remarking " We are amashing through."

PRISONERS. BRILLIANT DASH BY THE BEST ELEMENTS OF GERMAN CANADIAN CAVATRY.

GOOD TYPE OF GERMAN

tinue the retreat?

noon, says : --

themselves.

RUPPRECHT'S ARMY SEVERELY

BEATEN.

GOOD WORK BY TANKS.

Reuter's Correspondent at British

Headquarters, telegraphing this after-

This morning's buttle developed

which cannot yet be measured.

a few minutes' drumfire.

was badly cut off.

success, the strategic consequences of

The Tanks drove the enemy from

Our barrage was wonderful, the

German front line being smashed up by

By 7.30 a.m. the Tanks had cleared

Br 11.15" we entered Bayonvillers.

Throughout the day the enemy

counter-attacked several times, but

GENERAL PETAIN'S ORDER TO HIS

General Petain, in an Order to the

After four years your efforts and

trials, are beginning to bear fruit.

The invader has been smashed in his

fifth attempt to withdraw, his man-

power is adminishing, and his morale

He concludes: "Your tenacity and

LETTERS FOUND ON CAPTURED

PRISCNERS.

MADMEN.

AMERICANS CLASSED AS #

It is significant that the universal

theme in the letters found on the cap-

tured prisoners is the weakness of their

General Petain has the very instrument

ENEMY.

. LONDON, Aug. 8.

bravery will compet victory.

Paris, Aug. 9.

TROOPS.

heavy fighting is in progress.

without result.

is tottering."

for adventure.

surrander sooner."

trench positions and machine-gun posts

and enabled our infantry to establish

LONDON, Aug. 8.

Sa London, Aug. 9. LONDON, Aug. 9. Reuter's Correspondent at British Reuter's Correspondent at British Hondquarters, telegraphing to-day, Hendquarters, telegraphing to-day, says:--

The night of the 8th was compara-Our air squadrons did good work, re- tively quiet on the new, buttle-rield. conneitring and harassing the retreating Our cavalry patrols, accompanied by whippet Tanks, were reported by our The prisoners are mostly of a good nirmen to be far out in the blue. type of soldier and are representative Our infantry advance at many places of some of the best elements of the was only checked by our physical

inability to push on further, Our total casualties, including walk Prisoners confess"that the attack ing and slightly wounded, are only was a complete surprise as the roads about three-liths of the number of prisoners counted up to 3 o'clock yesterin many places were mined, but so rapid was our advance that the establishments at Pola, on the This morning the French and British enemyodid not have time to touch Venetian plains, and in Trent. resumed the battle in fine weather and off these.

under excellent compaigning conditions. The liaison between "the "French! The Germans are blowing up ammuni- and British was perfect, showing tion dumps and burning stores freely, admirable staff works One of the indicating their preparations to constirring spectacles of the day was when a body of Canadian horse, working around a large force of the enemy which was making an obstinate stand, got into touch with the French cavalry deploying at a gallop, completely cutting off the TO SEE RUSSIA STRONG AND Germans.

A REMARKABLE ADVANCE.

BITTER STRUGGLE BETWEEN MORLANCOURT AND CHIPILLY

Loxbox, Aug. 9. situation shows an average depth of the German penetration but bring penetration of eight miles on a front economic relief to your rained and of twenty miles. The latest news suffering country. We have sent

One Corps captured 2,000 prisoners early in the morning, and one division a bitter struggle was waged in of your country and not to exploit had counted nearly 1,000 prisoners by which the British were unable to them for ourselves, to restore the maintain all their gains. The push exchange of goods, stimulate agricul-The 27th, 108th, and 43rd Divisions is proceeding along the Vermand and ture, and enable you to take your belonging to Prince Rupprecht's Army Roye roads.

suffered very heavily, whilst the 107th, which only came into line last night, Acvillets, Contoire and Pierre Pont, see Russia strong and free. Then advancing four miles on a front of we will retire and watch the Russian Our casualties, considering the im-

portance of the operations, were very Yesterday's maximum advance reached the remarkable depth of over "twelve miles, and was necome THE ALLIED TROOPS IN SIBERIA; out the enemy from Cerisy, and our artillery had pushed forward so rapidly plished by cavalry, mentioned by that one brigade in action went forward Sir Douglas Haig, which reached of the old front line within twenty the line Framerville to Lilions, thus pushing on four miles ahead of the infantry. The enemy's only determined stand

thousand Tank's participated was made around Morlancourt, where | yellterday.

> SEVENTEEN THOUSAND PRISONERS:

17,000, including 4,000 captured by somewhat larger than the American. EFFORTS BEGINNING TO BEAR the French

Over 200 guns have been counted

AN OBSCURE SITUATION.

FIERCE COUNTER-ATTACKS. - Lordon, Aug. 9;

Loxbon, Aug. 9;

9.45 p.m. obscure as "it is noteworthy that i'm London vesterday considered docu-Sir Douglas Haig does not confirm ments received from the Austrothe capture reported last evening. German Socialists and appointed a It is on the extreme British Left. where the enemy's resistance strongest. A number of fierce German counter-attacks are developing to-day, one of which resulted in th

loss of Chipilly. GERMAN REPORT.

London, Aug. 10,

12.50 a.mg

companies, suggesting a reason for the weakening of the German resistance, which, if confirmed, would countenance forces on the 8th between the Ancre trouble, but that it meant to get them adventurous methods. In the Americans and the Avre. Favoured by a thick all the same. fog, they forced their way with the aid of Tanks into our infuntry and A prisoner, asked why he had not surrendered sooner," replied, "The artillery lines.

Americans are madmen." We dare not. We threw him out of our positions to the north of the Somme; From Braisne to beyond Bazoches Between the Sornine and the Avre the Rheims-Soissons road runs to the our counter-attacks, brought him to

north of the river and railway. The 'a standstill. troops that crossed this sector have We suffered losses in prisoners and rushed the advance as far as this highguns, and also took prisoners; Engway, and have defeated an cremy lish, Australians, Canadians, and counter-attack which was repeated French

ALLIED ADVANCE SURPRISES THE LARGE STAMESE CONTINGENT IN was again resumed to-day.

LONDON, Aug. 8. COMMANDED BY MAJ.-GEN. JANRIDH.

London, Aug. 10. It is confirmed that a large contingent of Siamese troops, commanded by Major General Phya Bhijai Janridh, hus arrived at Murscilles and received a great welcome. [Major-General Janvidh is the General Officer commanding the 4th Independent

CHASING A ZEPPELIN.

LONDON, Aug. 9. An Admiralty announcement says: "A formation of our large scaplanes in the North Sea sighted a Zeppelin in your hand Juggage when going on a 4,000 feet up and climbed to attack journey. Change it water diet and unscent at first, but the Zeppelin temperature all tend to produce howel later sighting them dropped all her bombs, released her water ballant put up her nose and escaped into I renience if you have it handy. For sale beavy clouds

Our aeroplanes during the week ending the 7th inst. diopped many tons of explosives with good results on Ostend and Zechnigger. Three lostile machines were shot down in filmes and six driven down out of control. All the British machines.

THE ITALIAN FRONT.

AUSTRIAN ATTAGKS

REPULSED. LONDON, Aug. 0.

An Italian official report says :-We repulsed two attacks at Col-Our airships bombed military

BRITAIN'S MESSAGE TO

"RUSSIAN PEOPLE.

OBJECTS OF ALLIED INTERVEN'-- TION EXPLAINED.

London, Aug. 90

The Press Bureau announces that declaration by the British Government to the people of Russia has been issued at Vladivostock, Murnumsk and Archangel. It states inter The evening papers state the battle alia: "We not only want to stan reveals that the advance is continue some supplies and more will follow. We wish to aid the development of Between Morlancourt and Chipilly the industrial and natural resources. rightful place among the free nations The French enptured Hangest, of the world. Our one desire is to people work out their own destinies.

JAPANESE OFFICER EXPECTED TO COMMAND.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9. The Secretary for War states that owing to the smallness of the first hody troops despatched a prothat the Japanese Chief of Staff should lend the Allied forces in Siberia has been abandoned, but probably a Japanese officer will lead the Expedition. It is expected that The prisoners at mid-day totalled the Japanese contingent will be

ENEMY SOCIALISTS' ACTIVITY

DOCUMENTS RECEIVED IN

LONDON. LONDON, Aug: 9. A meeting of the Parliamentary Committee of the Trades" Union Con-The situation at Morlancourt is gress and the Labour Party Executive Delegation of four to go to Switzerland is to confer with the Dutch Socialist,

M. Troelstra, regarding the accuracy of the documents. Subsequently, it was announced that the War Cabinet had refused to issue

passports to the Delegation. 50,000 ULSTER RIFLES.

LONDON, Aughst 9. Mr. E. Shortt (Chief Secretary for A wireless German official report Ireland) announced in the House of Commons that the Government expect-The enemy attacked with strong ed to get 50,000 Ulsters rifles without BRITISH TO RESUME LIBERTY

# KILLED IN ACTION.

LONDON, August 9. sioner Lamb, of the Salvation Army, has been killed in action.

BOMBARDMENT OF PARIS. LONDON, August 7. The long range bombardment of Paris

PARLIAMENT ADJOURNS.

LONDON, Aug. 9. Parliament has adjourned to October

A BYE-ELECTION.

London, Aug. 9. Mr. G. K. Anderson (Union st) been "returned" unopposed for Canterbury,

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THE SILVER MARKET.

London, Aug. 10. The Silver Market is unchanged. WEEKLY REPORT.

LONDON, Aug. 10. Messrs. Samuel, Montagu & Co., their weekly Silver Report, says: The price was unchanged during the week...

Shanghai exchange rose three farthings to-day to 48, 10d. BRUSSELS SUGAR CONVENTION

OF ACTION.

LONDON, Aug. 9 In the Brussels Convention a message was read [from the British Government?] giving the signatories Lieutepant Lamb, son of Commis- to the Brussels Sugar Convention six months notice of intention to resume complete liberty of action in ] respect of their policy in regard to

> If will be recalled in this connection that Great Britain, when in 1913 we withdrew from the Convention, gave a pledge that it would not give preference to British sugar without six months' notice to the signutories.

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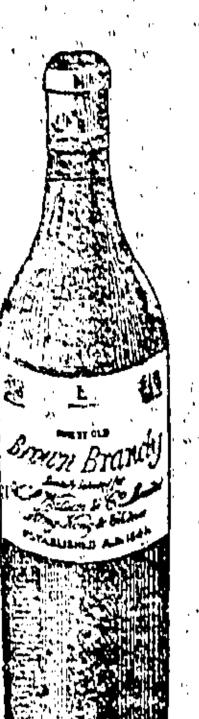
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The China Mail.

Honokono, Monday, Aug., 12,01918.

THE FUTURE OF THE

COLONY.

THE Hon. Sir PAUL CHATER,

or risked more, done more

mented on the disability under which

the shipbuilding yards of the Colony

work by having to get their steel,

said Mr. Anron, "we have iron

ore very near here, with lots of

soal in Kwangtung and it only needs

have these Steel Works established.

What we may call the nucleus of

such an enterprise had been, in fact

already created in the Colony by

Mr. A. G. Gordon, who had brought

into existence the Hongkong Steel

Foundry Co., Ltd. The Company

has been doing well within

limited means, and realising,

possibilities which offered to

ALAN GIRATATA

C.M.G., has been an optimist

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# To-day's Advertisements

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TUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received in structions from Mr. Doo CHEONG EEE, to sell by Public Auction.

SATURDAY, he 17th August, 1918, at 2.30 p.m., at his premises, the Old Post Office

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ments, Beads, etc., Carved Bamboo Ware, Kakemono and Wall Hangings, Jadestone Charms, Ivory Carvings, etc., etc., and a large number of Old Snuff Bottles. Fine JADESTONE INLAID SCREENS.

PLAQUES, BLACKWOOD CURIO STANDS, Etc. The greater portion of the above enterprise of this character" on

stock has recently arrived from the North and includes pieces from the Sung, Ming, Kanghi, Yungching, Kienlung and Towkwong Periods." (Full Particulars from Catalogue). On view from Friday, the 16th inst.

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Hongkong, Aug. 12, 1918.

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> NDERTAKEN. Road Central.

> > A MAIL

much bigger scale an effort was made to increase the capital to such an extent as would enable the present foundry and its operations to be greatly extended. The effort failed however, and the Hongkong Steel Foundry Co., Ltd. thus continues to do business on a limited but CHATER declared on Saturday that "when once we can get China to work these coal mines in Kwangtung it will not be long before the in Hougkong becomes an accomplished by the Chinese themselves or by a be in use. foreign cm joint syndicate, cunnot much longer be delayed, and in the

the point in the development of the shipbuilding industry of the Colony at which steel smelting have become a recognized need, and with coal and "iron deposits, close at hand awaiting exploitation, the enterprise is one which cannot be allowed to drop defendant. out of sight. We have not yet realised the possibilities of development which this Colony contains. It comes as a surprise to most people to know that over thirty-six tons of wolfram," taken from the New Territory, have recently been shipped to the Home Government's agents. Sir Paul Chater said he hoped this was only the beginning of what would | Wednesday. eventually develop into a large business to the benefit of the Colony. We hope so too. The more the tendency to make Hongkong an industrial centre can be developed, the more securely being in unlawful possession of 300 will it preserve its pre-eminence in this part of the world as a shipping and distributing centre.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Sir Henry Blake, Governor of Hongkong 1898/1905, left £20,730;

Lieut. C. L. Amies, formerly station- \$10,000 each. ed in Hongkong, has recently been invalided from Mesopotamia to India.

his life regarding the future of One case of plague and one of Hongkong, and no one man has enteric fever-both fatal-were the than he to promote the Colony's only cases of communicable disease reported in the Colony on Saturday. remarkable progress and prosperity.

Consequently any words which fall from his lips relating to future. the first balf of the present year, Friday, fixing bail at \$40,000 each. developments in the Colony are compiled by the Statistical Branch of the listened to with special attention, for Imports, and Exports Department, have we know that when Sir PAGL just been issued by the Government "predicts" there are usually solid Printers, Messis. Noronha & Co.

reasons for the prediction. Speaking, In accordance with the recent lopium. as Chairman of the Hongkong and arrangement with the Hongkong Uni-Whampon Dock Co. Ltd., on Satur- versity, the Central Government is three defendants and Mr. Goldring for day at the launching of the fit, sending twenty students from the the fourth. THE Undersigned have received in- standard ship in Hongkong. Sir normal schools to be trained at the atructions to sell by Public Auction. PAUL alluded to the fact that the University! five of whom have been shipbuilding yards of the Colony selected in Szechuen and the remainder the defendants said he brought the are dependent for their building in Peking...

> materials upon importation from either England or America, but he havoe, not only in Calcutta, but generally | defendants, \$500 for the third and \$250 predicted that the day is not far all over India. Karachi and Rangoon for the fourth. distant when we shall be able ourare now affected. The disease is or selves to manufacture all our require- short duration, but so epidemic in ments in this direction. A previous character that business everywhere is Chairman of the Company (Mr. affected. It hasts from two to five days ANTON) a year ago, at the launching at the longest.

of a ship at the same Docks, com-A German naval prisoner of war recently committed suicide in Japan by umping down a well. The Japanese authorities, it is reported, have taken and also their ship plates and boiler steps to send the ashes to Germany. plates out from Home, and said Severe nostalgia and the apparent he foresaw the possibility of having remoteness of release are given as steel works in Hongkong soon, for, probable reasons for the suicide.

It is understood that the European gentleman whose generous gift of ten lakhs of rupees for the education of a certain amount of enterprise to European, Anglo-Indian and Indian. children was announced in the Calculta Gazette is Mr." Newson, of Messra. Jardine: Skinner and Company. It is reported that six lakhs are for European, three lakhs for Anglo-Indian and one lakh for Indian boys.

—a new home for the men of the British Navy—was officially opened last week in the the presence of officers and men of the British gunboats in port, Stewards of the Race Club and representatives of the Navy League, Consular Body and British Women's Work Association. The new Union Jack clubrooms are situated in Bubbling Well Road where three floors have been finely fitted up by the Race Club which organised the raise the necessary amount of capital Union Jack Club and has assumed its maintenance for the first two years.

At, a recent conference of representapparently profitable scale. Sir PAUL atives of various leading warehousing wealth of the mineral resources of said to be under the impression that in of the show-window. the neighbouring provinces, either the autumn all the warehouse space will

TEETHING CHILDREN. works in Hongkong Sir PAUL is trolled by giving Chamberlain's Colic evidently looking forward to sub- and Diarrhos Remedy. All that is stantial assistance being rendered by after each operation of the bowels more the great Industrial Bank which the thou natural and then castor oil to Imperial Government proposes to cleanse the system. It is safe and sure. Even the most severe and dangerons. create for the assistance of our Home cases are quickly cured by it. ... For sale and Colonial Trade. We have reached by all Obemiata and Storekeepers.

THE MAGISTRACY.

THE WANCHAI MURDER.

Luk Chi was charged, on remand the murder of an amah at Wanchai.

examination had been concluded by th two doctors as required by Mr-Goldring. He asked that the case be further remanded to enable the doctors who had examined the prisoner to be present in Court in order to give

Mr. Wolfe remanded the case ti

BAIL AT \$40,000 EACH.

Two Chinese were charged, on remand, before Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe for taels of opium.

Grist, appeared for the defendants. Inspector Wildin said the opium was valued at \$4,650. The first defendant was the engineer of a launch and the second defendant the coxswain. asked for a remand till Friday as he

against the owner of the launch. Mr. Wolfe said that, according to the carbines and ammunition that, they regulations, the bail was ten times the amount. He thought it best to fix it at

Inspector Wildin asked for the f

bail of \$40,000 each." Mr. Hall said there was no need consider the question of bail as clients were unable to find that amount much less a smaller amount.

His Worship said the bail had to be The Trade Returns of Hongkong for | very large, and remanded the case till

HLICIT OPIÜM.

Four Chinese were charged for being in unlawful possession of a quantity of

Mr. Lewis appeared for the first

Sorgeant Murphy said the men were arrested in Shanghai Street. "One of onium for a friend.

The case was remanded, bail being The influenza epidemic is playing fixed at \$1,000 for the first and second

JEWELLER'S SHOP BURGLED

THIEVES' BIG HAULE

than is usually adopted by the ordinary | first saw smoke coming from the build burglary at Messrs. Falconer & Co.'s shop saw an Indian lying dead on a bed when the gung got away with something and then went to the charge room and like \$10,000 "worth of jewellery on saw Sergeant Glendenning dead. Saturday morning, between 6.30 a.m. and 7.15 a.m.

. Messrs. Falconer's shop is situated in Hotel Mansions, opposite the Post Office and it is the custom for the night watchman employed by the Firm to leave at 6.30 o'clock in the morning, the Manager arriving at about 7.15 by breaking the gate with a hatchet. a.m. Since it is broad daylight during the intervening three-quarters-of-anhour, and the thoroughfare is well frequented at that time the risk of a The Union Jack Club at Shangbai | burglary taking place during that period | was not considered, and it must, therefore, be concluded that the men who committed the robbery had made themselves thoroughly acquainted with the Sorgeant Major mentioned that in Decroutine of the Company.

When the Manager of Messra. Falconèr" & Co. arrived" at "about a quarter past seven on Saturday morning. he found that the padlock on the front door had been wrenched off, and upon show window had been disturbed and a number of gold watches and other articles were missing. Fortunately, it is the practice of the firm to place companies in Yokohama, it was decided articles of any considerable value in a to raise the storage fee by 3 per cent, strong room at night, otherwise the It is stated in this connection that the robbers might have secured a large haul storage fee collected by the Yokohama, of precious stones. Another fortunate At 10.30 he was standing near the Boyeki, Shoshin and Yokohama Dock incident was that the thieves, in their verandah and saw an Indian in plain establishment of large smelting works Company's Warehouses during February haste, overlooked a very valuable amounted to Y.20,000,000, during emerald, which is usually locked up fired at the Sergeant. After hearing fast." We think a stage has been March to Y.30,500,000, April Y.29,000,- with the other stones in the strong the first shot he heard the second shot reactied in the affairs of China when 1000, and May and June Y.28,000,000 room at night, but had, on this occasion, the exploitation of the potential each. The warehousing companies are been left in its place in the front part

Since Mesers. Falconer and Company carry a very large stock, they are at present unable to state the exact amount of the loss, but a \$8,000 and \$10,000.

precautions, including the searching of in the East. the passengers on the outgoing train and steamers to Canton, but so far no arrests have been made.

THE TAI-O TRAGEDY.

TWO MORE INDIANS ON TRIAL.

At the Magistraey, this afternoon," this morning in Mr. Wolfe's Court with before Mr. J. R. Wood two Indian Ser. geants B144 and B152 were charged Mr. P. W. Goldring appeared for the with (1) that they at Tai O on July Lith being members of the Hongkong Inspector Sim said the medical Police Force unlawfully did neglect their duty in that they failed to take \$274,600. (Straits Currency). immediate charge of Tai U station and detain all persons found thereon when in War Loan of the Malaya Trust at currency notes of the denominations of a suspicious death, had occurred, con- 6 per cent. The Membership of the one, five, ten, twenty, fifty and a trary to para 1 of page 46 of the Association had now reached 1,030. Hongkong Police Regulations, (2) that neglected to perform the duty, of a Insurance Society of Canton, the Honconstable, having neglected to use Treasurers and Secretaries. arms and equipment provided for them at Tai O station, contrary to para 13 of page 92 of the Police Regulation.

B152 was further charged with failing to exert himself in a lawful way to extinguish the fire at Tai O station.

Mr. King said he wished to withdraw Mr. Hall, of Messrs. Wilkinson and the third charge against the second defendant. He would prove to the Magistrate that at the time of the shooting of Sergeant Glendenning both the defendants were lying on their beds in their barrack-room, that the noise of the first shot woke them up desired to take out another summons and that they only had to put their hands to the arm-rack to get their immediately bolted from the station without taking arms or making any attempt to ascertain where the shot had come from or who had fired the shot and that they ran away; that the Chinese and Indian constables had fled from the station, and that, though they did not know it at the time, they be came aware that Sergeant Glendenning had been shot.

> Mr. King (acting D. S. P.) prosecuted and Mr. R. A. Belilios, barrister-at-law and Mr. J. H. Gardiner, solicitor, defended.

Sergeant Perkins, who was in charge of No. 2 launch, on 17th July, gave evidence that at 1.40 a.m. while he was at Cha-wan, he heard a launch blowing a blast. He went towards her and found that it was the Tai-O ferry launch Fisang. Indian Sergeant 152 came on board from the Yusang and reported to witness that Sergeant Glendenning had been killed. Witness"proceeded to Tai O, which took about one hour. The Chinese Sergeant interpreter met him when he got out from the launch and they went all to the Station together-When he landed he saw three or four Indians standing on the pier near the hoat sheds at the eastern gate. back of the gate. The station was That we have a gang of thieves who burning very fiercely near the eastern work on rather more scientific principle | room. He saved Mrs. Glendenning. He Hongkong burglar is proved by a ing. He went to the Indian room and

> In reply to the Magistrate, witness said he could not swear whether he

Cross-examined by Mr. Belilios witness said be could not get into to the station without forcing the station door. A man could get into the station

Magistrate: - How can you prove it? Mr. King said he could not prove i as he did not intend to bring Mrs. Glendenning in Court. Mrs. Glendenning lost an eye through the neglect of the Indian sergeant. Evidence was given by an Inspector

Nirdar Singh and Sergeant Major Pagat Singh as to the instruction given to in dian constables as to their duties. ember last Mr. Messer, Captain Super intendent of Police, inspected the mer at Tai-O and examined them as to their duties in the case of piracies, murders, etc., when the European Sergeant was away from the station.

Witness said there were two Indian Sergeants in every station and in some entering the shop he discovered that the stations an Indian Sergeaut was in sole charge. In the New Territories they are especially instructed in their duties. Cross-examined by Mr. Belilios, witness said the Territory stations wer often inspected.

Mong Tai Ws, an old fishermen at Tai O, said on the day on which Sergeant station at 10 o'clock to renew his license. clothes come along with a carbine. ... He went inside the Sergeant's room and

The hearing was adjourned.

Repington suggests that the Government of India, strengthened as much as years are, we have steadily maintained. necessary, should be given control of matter of capital for big smelting TEPHING children have more or estimate places the figure between the Eastern operations. He would like suitable to local conditions, was made overboard and was drowned. to see the Dominions representatives in On receiving notification of the rob- India, since Australasia vis deeply here the roller took all the named interfaced in the conduct of operations

> A New York telegram dated July states that October cotton is quoted at war, and was the worst "let down 124.90, and December cotton at \$24.41 Lutopeans we have ever beard of

THE WAR SAVINGS.

TWENTIETH LIST OF THE LOCAL ASSOCIATION.

During last month a record amount of War Loan was purchased by the Hongkong and South China War Savings' Association for its members, amounting in value to no less than

Full particulars and application forms they at the same time and place may be obtained from the Union

The following are the monthly lists on a gold basis.]

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Total amount re- } \$1,695,105 ceived to date ...

The following amounts in other currencies have been received :---

Straits Currency \$259,347.51. Sterling £7,036. 11s. 101d. Gold dollars 1,556.24. Francs 5,340.

Taels 434. THE STRAITS "OUR DAY" WAR LOAN LOTTERY.

An "Our Day" lottery, value \$2,000,000 has been sanctioned by the Straits Government and will be run under the auspices. of "Our Day" Committee A donstion of 30 per cent, of the total amount sub scribed will be given in cash to the British Red Cross Fund

The balance after deducting expenses will be distributed in prizes in Straits Settlements Government 54 per cent War Loan Bonds. The Tickets are to be

"MILLION DOLLAR WAR LOTTERY

FOR MALAY STATES. Pullen of the China Mining & Metal It has been arranged to hold a war Co.; and Mr. C. E. Holmes, marine lottery of \$1,000,000 for the F M.S. engineer of the Indo-China Steam under the auspices of what is termed the armed two men. "He did not make Federated Malay States War Funds a complete circuit of the station. He Committees. It has been decided to cluty. did not see any more Indians at the set apart 30 per cent. of the collection to war funds, and the first prize will be 20 per cent. of the collection. There will be about 350 prizes in all, and no prize will be less than \$500. The lottery & Co. will be opened as soon as the tickets are received from the printers, and wil close on March 15, 1917. The drawing will take place in the middle of April next year in the Town Hall, Ipoh.

> CONSCRIPTION IN THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.

MARRIED MEN NOT TO BE SENT

The following was published as Gazette Extraordinary recently:-His Excellency the Governor has been informed by the Secretary of State for he Colonies, that in view of express instructions from the War Office, passports are not in future to be granted to wives of recruits unless there are special circumstances justifying the grant, apart from the fact that the husband is proeeding on military service.

In view of the above, His Excellency loes not intend, while the restrictions referred to remain in force, to call out married men whose wives are in the East, for active service outside the unknown.

Married men of military age who are classified in Class A ara nevertheless nembers of the Overseas Force of the traits Settlements, under the Military Service Ordinance, 1918, and applications made by or in respect of them for certifientes of exemption will be heard by the Tribunals which are to be established inder the Ordinance. Commenting on this announcement, Cyclone or typhoon N. E. of Aparri

the Straits Times says :- Apparent! the Straits Government legislated without knowing its lowers. Passports have been refused to women seeking to get away for health reasons, but were to be given to wives in order to get rid of the responsibility of providing separation allowances for them. Government now learns that it has no power to issue such it practically cancels half its own rdinance. This is parsimonious pateinno public insulance of men sent on service-none of the ressonable and generous mensures taken elsowhere There is very little honour or self respect in a Government which is willing to compel sacrifice by others but shirks making any itself. If it is not abirking. surely the time has come to announce In the Morning Post; Colonel its intentions. We are very glad that the married men are relieved of a cruel anxiety. Since the war began four that married men could not reasonably be asked to serve until Reflecous provision, for their dependents a and during these years, the Government has refrained from making the slightest offer of help Its parsimony has been a scandal-we nwal who were the first to volunteer were Isont home as steerage passengers, herded with Asiatic ecolies. I nat in cone of the foulest scandals in connection; with the

CHINESE AFFAIRS. GOLD CURRENCY NOTES FOR

[The " Chinese Mail " Service.]

CHINA.

MANDATE ISSUED,

PEKING, Aug. 11. A mandate has been issued by the The amounts paid in were all invested | Fresident directing the issuance of gold hundred dollars.

[Another telegram mentions in this connection that Mr. Liang Shik Yl is to be the Director of the Currency Bureau. The estublishment of a Chine Trading Company is contemplated whose object will be to promote foreign trade

### THE PEKING PARLIAMENT "ASSEMBLES:

PEKING, Aug. 11. The Parliament is to be inaugurated to-morrow. The President and the Premier will attend the ceremony.

Great precautions are being taken in issuing tickets for admission owing to an attempt having been made to shoot one member of the Parliament outside the Chienmen. The shot missed.

TO FIGHT OF NOT TO FIGHT?

PERING, Aug. 11. The On Fook Club held a meeting on the 9th inst., which was attended by over 100 delegates and members of the new Parliament.

Speeches were made advocating a continuance of the fighting. It was stated that this policy was supported by 70,000 Fengtien troops, 50,000 On Mon troops and 30,000 new troops ealisted by Chu Shut Sang, and it was claimed that these troops would suffice to settle the situation.

With regard to the Presidential election they decided on the election of Chu Sai Chong as President, reserving the vice-Presidency for the person who ""achieves merit" in the war.

### THE MILITARY SERVICE TRIBUNAL.

The Tribunal sat this afternoon. Exemption was granted in the cases of Messrs. C. F. Starkey and

Navigation Co, on temporary shore Temporary exemption till October 12th was granted in the case of Mr.

L. C. Norris, of Messrs, Paula Dairs

No exemption was usked for in the case of Mr. L. Jack in the firm of Messrs, Brossard & Mopin, Mr, Jack had previously asked to be

allowed to volunteer. The case of Mr. H. J. Nairn, of Messrs, Butterfield & Swie, was reconsidered and exemption " was granted on the understanding that Mr. Nairn continued to be engaged in Government work.

# TYPHOON WARNINGS.

The telegrums quoted below were received by the American Consulate General from the Manila Observatory —

Cyclone or typhoon E. of Luzon more than 300 miles distant direction 11th Aug. 11 a.m. Cyclone or typhoon E. of northern

luzon less than 300 miles ex-distant moving E. N. W. or N. 11th Aug. 11 p.m. Cyclone or typhoon E. of Aparri less than 300 miles distant moving N. N. W. 13 Aug., 10.45 a.m.

# DROWNING FATALITIES.

moving W. N. W. or N. W.

At Chung Chow the death by drown-Glendenning was murdered he went to the passports, and, rather than spend a trifle ling is reported of a woman and a child. of its wealth on separation allowances, They had gone out in a boat, which capsised, in a squall. The mother was tism with a vergeance. Is there to be drowned in trying to save her child. The child's body has been recovered but that of the moth ir is missing." A little boy, while stooping over a wharf in Reclamation street, Yaumatis fell over into the water and was drowned. The body has hot been

> recovered. The master of a junk reports to the Police that while in Chinese waters his oki, while looking over the junk fel

TMMEDIATE relief is necessary in Lattucks of diarritoss. Chamber sto Colic and Diarrhose Bome y should always be on hand. For sale by Commists and Stope Supplies.

GROWING RAPIDLY.

The newspaper Isrestia states that

a counter-Revolution has broken out

in a number of towns in Russia.

and replaced by Social Revolutionary

There has been gight bloodshe

SPEECHES BY LENIN, AND

ARMY COMMANDERS TO BI

WATCHED WITH REVOLVERS

This was the argent task of the

said the time had come to muster

| Every Commander, must be watched

COLLISONS BETWEEN GERMAN

TROOPS AND PEASANTS.

A message fillan Kieff rin Berlin

shows that collisions have occurre

between revolting peasants ar

DON REGION CLEARED OF

A final decision is imminent.

SEÄLENOFE DISPERES BOL-

SHEVISTS IN MANCHURIA

fighting, succeeded, with the holp

persed the Bolshevist forces's

GERMAN EMBASSY REMOVED

FROM MOSCOW.

A message from Berlin says

Embassy from Moscow "to Pskoff.

BOLSHEVIKS ARREST ALLIED

CONSULS.

A message"from Moscow states the

Bolsheviks have arrested prominent

British and French representatives...

GENERAL AT MOSCOW.

have arrested Mr. Robert Lockhart,

It is believed the British, and

LENIN DECLARES WAR AGAINST

ENTENTE.

has informed the State Department

that Lenin line told the Soviet that

and the Entente:

one time with Germany.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10

London, Aug. 9.

London, Aug. 9.

. Copenhagen, Aug. 11.

Manchuria.

BOLSHEVISTS.

German troope.

the north-west of Zeebrugge, prob-juperations almost the whole of the

AMSTERDAM: Aug. 10

TROTZKY.

Olsehinsky was killed at Kazan.

ment is growing rapidly.

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 11.

TELEGRAMS.

# ATTEMPT TO ARREST ADVANCE.

FINE WORK BY "WHIPPETS." ENGLISH AND AMERICANS

FIGHT SIDE BY SIDE. CROWN PRINCE MOST

UNPOPULAR London, Aug. 11 Renter's Correspondent at British

The adquartiers, pelographing on Satur day, says; Several fresh German Divisions

have been identified during the past thirty homes, proving that a desperate effort is being made to arrest the Alliew and variety, but all counters attack- every univailing. The capture of Chipilly ridge on Friday evenling broke down the fast defensive More in the enemy's sentiered front English and American theops for the directaling togght side by side in this hrillingt, enterprise, while the Princitry and mortillery lought aftiguidie nity.

This has been presentinearly the buttle of the Tanks, armoured cars and cavaby. " Whippegs." as the Accordantal little speedy Tanks are leaffell, played lavoe with General Mannetz's Seconda Army, Six thorn advanced in line, and attacked. a "battery or field-guns. The latter, Bring point-blank, put four Tanks cour of setion and the remaining two scurred away. But suddenly the two "vanished Tanks came whiching and as the cornfield in the rear of the battery and killed or wounded all the German gunners, and

it is incorrect to suppose that of initial success was due to the Ger mans hedding the line lightly. the centrary, the front of our first altack was held by eight Divisions instead of the usual six.

Captured German officers express the belief that the Germans will be annible to recover and make a strong stand, south of the Somme.

Meanwhile our aircraft and longrange gans are bombarding tefdies and crossings over the rive

The enemy's tremendous loss material may be gathered from fact "that in addition to our enormous emptures" of guns, machineguns, rifles, bombs, food, horses and rolling-stock the Germans had blown up or burnt supply domps for miles

Since July 18th the Gormans have probably a lost almost as muc winaterial as they captured in their ig offensives earlier in the year. More German wounded were brought to our clearing stations than lied wounded. - Many German doctors and hospital attendants were emptured, doing good, service in

attending the wounded. According to the prisoners, the German Crown Prince sceins to be the most unpopular man in the German Army. He is accused of being directly responsible for the Marne". disastor. The prisoners declare that his amateurish interference with th plans of experienced Generals "was the starting spoint of the present grashing misfortunes.

# GERMAN REPORTS.

Loxbon, Aug. 11"

A wireless German official report states.:—

We repulsed partial attacks at many points between the Yser and

the Ancre. The British and French, bringing up strong reserves, continued their attacks on the whole front between

the Ancre and the Avre. We threw the energy back on both sides of the Somme and astride the Pourneourt-Villers Bretonneux road. The enemy gained ground in the centre of the battle front beyond

Rosieres and Hangest. Our counter-attacles brought him to a atandstill to the west of Libous and east, of the Rosicres-Arvillers

We withdrew during the night to

states: Between the Ancre and the Oise

our fighting positions.

### CHAULNES OCCUPIED BY CANA-DIANS AND AUSTRALIANS.

Paris, Aug. 11. The Petit Parisien estates the Canadians and Australians have eccupied Choubies.

BRITISH AVIATORS" FINE BAG.

61 MACFINES DISABLED.

-London, Aug. 11. reporting on aviation, states: ---In air fighting on the 9th we destroyed 39 machines and drove down B2 out of control.

Twenty-three of ours are missing. One, machine, reported missing on the Sth. has returned.

We dropped 384 tons of bombs during the day and 181 tons at

### AERIAL COMBATS,

FRENCH BRING DOWN B MACHINES

Loxbox, Aug. 11. The French axiation communitying

Thespite the "laid weather our squadrons fought 'numerous actions bringing down 14 German aeroplanes and setting fire to "nine captive

Forty rons "of projectiles" were dropped during the day and at night ! on enemy troops, stations are

## AMIENS NOW SAFE. . .

THE PREMIER'S APPEAR TO COMP MERCHANTS.

THE STRUGGLE NOT OVER.

Lospos, Aug., 10; Mr. T.loyd George, at a juncheon given in his booth at Newport. Monmouthshire, emphasised the importance of pushing back the Germans from within the gun range of the Amiens railway. A hundred trains daily used to pass through but we had temporarily deprived the Germans of the use of them. Recently we have begin able to employ. twenty trains daily. Amiens would BRITISH BOMB ENEMY MINE; now be safe. The recent Allied triumphs on the Marne, and, the Somme were due to the unity of Command. Those two great vietories had resulted in the capture of between 50,000 to 60,000 prisoners

and 800 to 900 guns. But the struggle was not over. The country noist depend on its resolution and courage and must keep up hearts We were now doing well,"but a firm and steady beart was necessary. 'The business' we have undertaken is one of these things Providedice gives to a generation to do for all

Mr. Lloyd George proceeded to England. refer to the difficulties of obtaining sufficient coal for Great Britain, France and "Italy and" stated sthat some men who were taken from the industries for service in the Army were unwilling to return to their previous employment. "They say No, we are going back to fight: W

"Continuing, Mr. Lloyd George said was difficult to beat a country producing such men. He appealed to reverybody connected with the production of coal to do their very best to get more. "Fling coal at the enemy and hurl it in waggonloads. Every ton and every extra waggon-load, represents . Liberty, Justice and Peace throughout the world."

# ACHIEVEMENTS OF CANADIANS.

GREATEST IN THEIR HISTORY.

LONDON, Aug. 11 Mr. Kemp, the Canadian Minister of Militia, interviewed by Reuter, said the achievements of the Canadians in the present offensive was the greatest in their history. They took 7,000 prisoners and upwards of

## REPORTED TENSION BETWEEN SPAIN AND GERMANY,

SECRET CONFERENCES OF

SPANISH CABINET. London, Aug. 10. Interest has been renewed in the lowing to the secret Conferences of nucleus of which will be two regithe Spanish Cabinet, at which it is ments from the Philippines suppleunderstood a momentous decision was unanimously reached. This is that no commander for the Allied stated to concern Germany a contemptuous disregard of the protests against submarining Spanish vessels Correspondent says the Japanese and the continuance of the outruges, enemy attacks were shattered before Considerable reticence is being pre-

### TREUTER-HAVAS SERVICE. TWENTY-FOUR THOUSAND PRISONERS.

AMIENS FRONT CLEARED CONSIDERABLY.

GERNIAN BETREAT FORESHADOWED.

OLONDON, Aug. II. The results of the victory gained Councils. Fahl-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, by the Fourth British and the First French Armies east of Amiens were increased in every direction, despite the resistance, which was strengthen- among the Bolsheviks at the Rinesar ed by large reinforcements rushed up and Novgorod'd stricts and the moveby the enemy overnight.

While the Canadians and Australians stormed the whole line of the outer defences of Amiensland pushed forward, the French gained also further important successes on the southern thank of the buttle-from: Their outdanking of Montdelier, seems to make it unlikely for the Germans to shold this place long:

More than 24,000 prisoners have Excentive of the Soviets at Moscow been taken since Thursday morping on July 28th, said the total plans of with about 300 guns and vast quantit British and French Imperialism the of material of all kinds. could only be frustrated if the The maximum advance exceeds 12. Czecho-Slovaks and their anti-

miles and the Allied cavalry oven Revolutionary partisans in the Volga, pushed forward to within a mile of Urals and Siberia were crushed. The Allies have already cleared the Revolution. Hence the war wenri- says :-Amiens from considerably, and if ness of the people must be comthey Scompel the Germans to retreat butted. from Montdidier they will set free [ At. Trotzky contrasted the enthu-

for truffic both the important rail- siasm of the Czecho-Slovaks with the ways between Amiens and Paris, apathy of the Soviet troops and comthus increasing the Allied power of plained of the lack of officers. He There are reports, timbs the Ciers Russian officers. Those not adhering which are already evacuated. mans are burning their dumps and to the Red Army would be sent to

stores, thus foreshadowing a retreat, concentration earnps. Those serving It is not officially confirmed but it is the Soviets were often upreliable. probably true. The German General in command by the Commissaries with a revolver is believed to be you Boehm, some of in hand. If he wayers he must be those deteated by Marshal Foch in shearon"the spot.

-[THISOUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.] GERMAN DESTROYER SUNK OFF

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ZEEBRUGGE. SWEEPERS.

LONDON, Aug. 11. The Admiralty reports 12-Our aircraft on the 9th sheavily bombed enemy name-sweepers off Zeebrugge and also observed a Czer- staff of the Don Cosack Armyannonn destroyer sunk eight biles to nounces that after three months'

ably by a British mine! PRESIDENT WILSON TO VISIT ENGLAND.

London, Aug. 11. The Weekly Dispatch states that General "Semenoff, after President Wilson intends to visit

GERMAN SUBMARINE ATTACK DUTCH FISHING CRAFT.

«Амятердам, Aug. 10. The Nieuwe Postterdomache Courant states a German submarine attacked at Yumiden a fishing craft near the Huaka, a lightship. . The skipper was killed.

# M. MALYY GOES TO SPAIN.

Paris, Aug. 11. M. Malvy (who has been banished from France for five years) has gone

# THE ITALIAN FRONT.

SUCCESSFUL RAIDS.

London, Aug. 10. An Italian official riessage states We forded the Chiese in the Daone Valley, and surprised a large enemy party, killing some and taking

The total number of prisoners British Cousul-General at Moscow, as a reprisal, it is alleged, for the taken by the British in raids between Canove and Asiago is 374.

firing upon Soviet, members a The French deeply penetrated a firing upo strong, point on Mount Sisemol, Archangel, 100 guns... They were opposed by destroying or taking prisoners the The Government has demanded four German Divisions on the first garrison, capturing, 243 prisoners Mr. Lockhart's release. day. Their casualties were moderate, eight machine-guns and trench French Consular staffs have also

We carried out fuide further eastward and inflicted lieuvy losses faking

# THE SIBERIAN EXPEDITION.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10. General March announces that General Graves will command the ittitude of Spain towards Germany American troops for Siberia, the mented later by troops from the United States. General March says

forces has vet been selected. The Associated Press Washington General Kiketzo Otani will he ranking officer of the Allied expedition

# EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

### COUNTER REVOLUTION IN RUSSIA.

ATTACK EYERYWHERE PROGRESSES.

THE NEW OFFENSIVE.

. LONDON, Aug. 9. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig

The Soviets have been overthrown reports; The Allies renewed the attack on the whole battle front southward of the Somma and progressed everywhere, The well-known Bolshevik leader

despite increasing resistance. The French, extending their front southwards, captured Pierreport and the wood northwards. They also advanced four miles, northwards and

north-eastwards of that point. The Carladians and Australians, in an admirable dash, after capturing the outer defences of Amiens, advanced two miles beyond, after severe fighting. Before evening the French and British reached the line Pierrepont-Arvillers-Rosieres-Rainecourt-Moreourt, where fighting continuer.

Local fighting is reported northward of the Somme.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 8. The prisoners are now 17,000, and According to German" "corresponwe have taken between 200 and 300 dents, M. Lenin, addressing the guns, including a heavy railway gun, large numbers of trench-mortars and machine-guns, immense stores and material, including a train. Our casualties are exceptionally light.

ANOTHER DAY OF GOOD PROGRESS

London, Aug. 9. Reuter's Correspondent at British Headquarters, telegraphing to-day,

This "has been another day of good progress with the offensive considerably widened by the French operations north of Montdidier. Airmen report that the Germans are

in considerable confusion in some places. Bodies of our cavalry, Tanks and armoured cars are operating far ahead among the enemy positions, some of

. Tanks and armoured cars performed wonders yesterday. One of these dashed into Proyart and poured a stream of machine-gun bullets through the window of a room where a party of German officers was lunching. Another set on fire and gutted a complete train and captured a Red Cross train with staff complete. Other armoured cars captured i transport column near Flamerville.

The capture of German material is very heavy. Whole batteries of artillery may be seen exactly, as they were very hurriedly"abandoned. A wagon full of maps and papers was captured. Our airmen have done magnificent

work, and have blown up bridges at Peronne and Brie. Prisoners have been captured from nine Divisions. British troops are now returning to the attack between Chipilly and Meri-

A message from Kieff states the 24,000 PRISONERS IN FOUR DAYS.

LONDON, Aug. 10. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig

Don region is cleared of Bolshevists. Yesterday afternoon and evening the advance of the Allied armies continued on the whole front from southward of Montdidier to the Ancre. The French, attacking southward of

A message from Moscow states Montdidier during the afternoon, esptured Le Tronquoy, Le Fretoy and Assainvillers and are threatening "Montdidier from the south-east. of Chinese artillery, in detecting and We took over 2,000 prisoners in this pursoing the Red Guards, and dis-

The Canadian and Australian Divisions have taken Bouchoir, Meharicourt and Lihons and entered Rainecourt and

" In the evening, the British and Americans attacked in the angle between the Somme and the Ancre and met with immediate success. By nightfall all objectives were taken, including the village of Morlancourt and the high ground to

i the south-east. view of the Left Social Revolution-Enemy counter-attacks in this sector were beaten of after sharp fighting. aries' threats, Dr. Helfferich has The prisoners captured by the Allies ordered the removal of the German since August 6 exceed 24,000.

FRENCH PURSUE THEIR

LONDON, Aug. 10. A French communique says :--Our troops operating on the right of the British pursued their successes yes-

terday evening. We progressed east of Ardvilliers and ARREST OF BRITISH CONSULcaptured Davenescourt. Attacking south of Montdidier between Eyencourt and Le Fretoy, we took Rubescourt and Assainvillers and reached Faverolles. Reuter learns that the Bolsheviks'

# BREAK ENEMY RESISTANCE

LONDON, Aug. 10. A French communique states:-Following up the advance on the right of the British Fourth Army, our troops to day secred fresh successes. After breaking the resistance of the enemy they carried the villages of Pierrepont, Contoir, Hangest-en-San-

morning attained a depth of 14 Besides a considerable quantity material we captured 4,000 prisoners Our losses, like the British, were particularly light.

terre, and captured Arvillers. Our pro-

gress in this direction since yesterday

On the Vesle the Americans captured The American Consul at Moscow, Firmette, taking 100 prisoners. (Continued on Page 8.)

a state of war exists boween Russia SUPPLIED BY ALL CHEMISTS PHYSICIANS prescribed Chamber-lain's Colic and Diarrhos Remedy M. Tchitcherin, replying to the because it relieves cramps in the stomach Allied Consuls said that Lenin's and intestinal pains quicker then any statement was not a declaration of preparation shey can compound. It can he bought from any chemist A bottle war, but a declaration of state dewill keep for years, and no home is complete without it. For sale by all fence, a similar situation existing at Chemists and Storekeepers.



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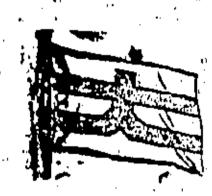
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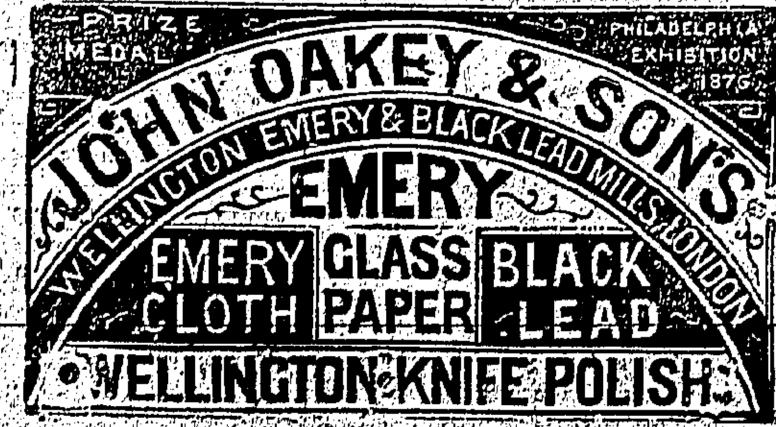
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" PICTURESQUE FANATIC."

Mr. Robert Donald, Editor of the London " Daily Chronicle," in a cable to the " New York Times " of June 9th, says ; I readily respond to the suggestion that I should explain the true signific? ance, as I see it, of the notorious Billing case, which has temporarily east a shir on English justice and shocked the morab consciousness of the nation.

billing is one of the wild men of Parliament, a reckless political familie. with an insatiable craving for advertisement. He was carried into Parliament as a political newspaper student, but he soon came a cropper as it was evident he did not know what he was talking about when he came up against men who did know.

Still, he went on undererred

phrew reckless charges against monresponsible positions, more particularly when the object of his attack was not in a position to reply. He Imakly admitted at his trial that he had been libelling people for the last two and half wears, and he asked the jury settle him back to continue to carry on the work to which he was devoting himself so whole-heartedly and with such unremitting zeal, and the pure Md. (Cubled titabits from the evidence given at the true might suggest to the nowary reader at a distance that half of England was rotten, with nameless corruption and treachery. The impression would be rotally false, as any good observer could duickly verify for himsigh on the spot, of The trial does, indeed betoken certain pathological symptoms in our war psychology, but they are those

which the detence illustrated, not those

which it denounced. Briefly, they are

of two kinds.

CASES OF WAR HYSTRIDA. In the case of a few comparatively over-strong people the war strain, incloding generalizes battle experience or shell-shock, has produced a species of quasi-insanity," Men, some of whom formerly had qualities ditting them, for responsible positions, have been worked into a conditions where their minds run nmuck. They suffer from was hysteria. they are a prey to violent and ground less obsessions which they do their utmost to convey to others, and in the excitement of their effort they are apto leave the most ordinary seruples

Secondly, there is a much larger class of people who in peace time would laugh atypiich vapourings, hot in war time swallow them quite seriously. War, with its hopes and doubts, its silences and censorships and guessed scandals," is the natural breeding ground for suspicion and

JUDGE " CULPABLY WEAK." The rules of evidence in English offilling that has a gramophone press efficiently the interest of all parties and to For over a year now Billing's stant the public. If neither were protected in has been played out. He has been ignorthe Billing case, it was because these od by his former patrons. Lord Rotherrules were flouted to an extent Without more, when he became Minister for Air modern parallel. The Judge was cul- did not call in his protege to help him. publy weak. The defendant conducted." The climax has come in this Billing, his own defence, and in league with his "case." The Press, without exception, was Telephone No. 491. witnesses, he grossly abused the latitude staggered by the result, and ashamed of granted to prisoners in that position. to the conditions which made the verdict The estensible issue was a libel, possible, but a healthy reaction has set worded so indecently that no report of in. It is seen that the seed sown by the case quoted it, which associated the the sensation is being resped in shame. name of Miss Mand Allan, a well-known. When Billing turned up in the House classical dancer, with the practice of of Commons after the case he was not unnutural vice. The prisoner, at the cheered, but Asquilli was, very close, of the trial in which he had 1 "The hysterial effervescence which gave not ciffy "justified" libel but treated superficially such a bad impression of Miss Allin in the witness box with the English patriotism and English morals utmost brutality, unreservedly withdrew has been swept uside. Below the scumi the charge against her personal characties seen a nation solid, sincere, courage-

their having been published. DOUGLAS AN A MORAL CRUSADER. Such a singular view was only possible because Billing and his associates ARE YOU GETTING OLD had succeeded in diverting the jury's attention almost entirely from Miss Allan and the libel, and fixing, it on a vast mountain of scandal, composed of sensational" charges against half, the leading people in English public life. None of these people had anything to do with the case, and they could not be called uponto contradict what was said about them. Some of them, indeed, were dead, but not "even the fact" that they had been

of the words removed all the blame for the war.

ter, and the jury apparently considered ons, determined, and united with its

that this tardy disavowal of the meaning fallies in a great moral purpose to wing

killed in action availed to protect their case. Have you lost the ability to make whenever necessary, or do you worry and desitate in indecision and consume an undue amount of time over things The purport of this scandal-monger ing was to suggest that the higher ranks of English society were saturated with that you need to do quickly! Are you unnatural vice and pro-German treachery prematurely old ? and that Billing, Lord Alfred Douglas and their eccentric and neurotic asso. get hard; don't let thin blood starve your nervous system. Proper diet for ciates were a bonl of moral crusaders the first and a good tonic such as Dr. who were heroically risking their all in Williams pink pills for the second are: order to purge away the unclean thing. what you need. To any one familiar with the past retroubles. The nerves become undercord of these individuals, the suggestion nourished and neuralgia is a frequent must appear deliciously absurd, but even accompaniment of aniemis. Good digeswithout this familiarity a moment's tion without rich red blood is almost thought might show that such rottenness impossible, and sufferers from sammis are frequently dyspeptics. as was alleged to pervade English society could not possibly do so in fact, for if pills is to build up the blood. They do of industry and of combat which the this reason they are an invaluable manhood and womanhood of England have put forth during nearly four years of war could never have taken place. Common juries in London have not Begin your own rejuvenation to-day. a very high reputation, but even the common jury would not have listened with credulity to such an orgy of non- China Office of the Dr. Williams Medi- or shorter periods at rates which will be sensical calumnies if the atmosphere cine Co., 96 Szechuen Road, Shanzhal. which the defendant and his witnesses The price includes postage strove to create had not already been shove address for a free copy of a most blowing for years through the columns assful little Health Guide of a section of the Press

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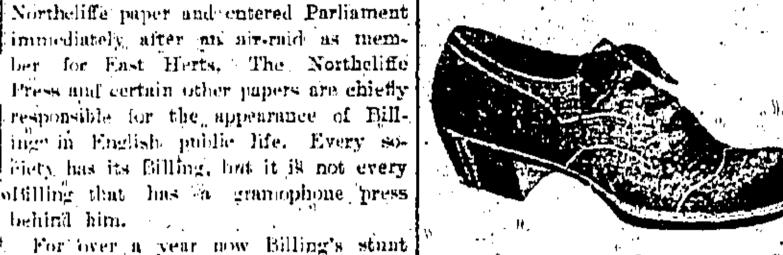
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THE "BRITISH REVENCE." London, Aug. 10.

A Reuter message states :---Marne, being driven into a great pocket | back their line along the river. south of the Somme with their backs to | Tuesday's attack took place over a 30

the river, will need most desperate efforts | kilometre front from Morlancourt. driven from the Marne.

either rapid blows, the prospects of any of the objectives had been reached. strategy designed to spare men in the columns to flight. event of the development of the Allied !. offensive.

### THE ENEMY COLONELS CAPTURED.

London, Aug. 10. Reuter - Corréspondent at Frene Headquarters, telegraphing on Friday evening, says:

The front formed as a result of the French advance to day is a large convex curve from Court en Ouche to Rozieres and about, Il miles from Morisel to the west bank of the Avre opposite Moreuil from where the French started avesterday morning.

The enemy, naturally, is holding that flank of our attack in the region of Montdidier more obstinately than the centre.

The Colonels of three German regiments with their staffs were enptured i yesterday morning's surprise before the edicers had time to finish dressing. One folted, but French soldiers run him clown and brought him back.

Fewer guns where taken by the French than the British because the Germans, anticipating the British attack. had transferred many guns' north of The Amieus-Noyon road.

### GOOD WORK BY BRITISH AYIATORS.

LONDON, Ang. 10. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, reporting on aviation, states :-Our seroplanes co-operated

other arms on the battle-front all day. They signalled targets to the artillery and supplied our advance troops with ammunition from the air. They also dropped smoke bombs before the Tanks' dine of advance, thus concealing the approach of the latter from the enemy. Plying low, our equadrons machine. gunned and bombed the retreating enemy, eausing havoc among his masses of treops and transport, also trains.

junctions and bridges. We destroyed 48 aeroplanes and drove down 1% others out of control Fifty-one British machines are missing, mostly shot down from the ground. Our airmen continued yesterday to

co-operate with the infantry, cayalry and Tanks. They heavily bombed the Somme bridges day and night:

# FRENCH AERIAL ACTIVITIES.

LONDON, Aug. 10. A French aviation communique. reporting on aviation, says :---Notwithstanding the dense mist and

low clouds, our air squadrons multiplied their recomnaissances over the enemy lines, frequently machine-gunning troops. Four enemy acroplanes and four eaptive balloons were brought down

in air fighting. Ten tons of projectiles were dropped on railways in the regions of Chaulnes, Nesles, Ham and Roye.

### THE SIGNIFICANCE OF CHAULNES.

LONDON, Aug. 9. A Reuter message states :-

is specially significant. central portion of the Peronne Roye twice for petrol, the flight being a piece road, which is regarded as most im- of routine work.

portant. If we reach hit the Germann' position in the Montdidier pocket will and the pace was good throughout. be untenable. The Germans have recaptured post-war development of British aviation.

The Canadians have captured A BIG GUN FACTORY FOR FRANCE Bounfort and Warvillers. Our patrols are beyond Foucaucourt on the 1916 Somme line.

The total advance of the British Army is ten miles. Our infantry are now operating upon ground hitherto held by cavalry and

Turks.... The German losses, apart from my sonors, are very heavy. equalties are exceptionally light.

# AMIENS COMPLETELY FREED.

Paris, Aug. 9. A Havas Agency message says:-Thrown into confusion by the French and American troops between,

Soissons and Rheims and having scarcely arrived at the end of his retreating movements, the enemy was again attacked this time cast of Amiens What the Paris papers enthusiastical and had to give up ground before the Class only. ly style the "British Revenge" is victorious advance of the British and progressing in a fashion unprecedented French troops. The new battle-front THURSDAY, 15th instant :-in any British offensive hitherto. The extends over both sides of the Somme edvance has been slower north of hithe in a north and south direction from Class only. Somme than elsewhere as the succession south of Albert to north of Montdidier FRIDAY, 16th instant 5of ravines there favours defensive tactics. A few days ago a series of local but our troops are back on their old operations rendered the French troops drill. lines south of the Somme. Generally nearly complete masters of the left bank speaking, the suljent has been broudened of the Avre. At the same time when at both the spex and base by yesterday's the Germans were feeling they had successes and has now no seriously ex ventured too far west of the Ancre on posed flank. The Germans, as at the both sides of Albert, they were bringing

to maintain themselves there while east of the Ancre, to Branches, west of ratirement will imperil the flank of the the Ancle. The Fourth British Army, new positions to which they have been under General Bawlinson, attacked north of the Luce and the First French | p.m.; electricians at 6.45 p.m. on and The crucial point is Chaulnes which is Army, under General Debeney, on the mear an important road and railway south, the latter over a front of about. pentre and where the British advance a dozen kilometres. Storming troops, has attained its greatest depth. Its cap. French," Canadians, Australians and Stevenson. ture is bound to precipitate the German | English; had been brought up to the withdrawal from the Montdidier salient. espot at night. The artillery preparation. Some experts think possible a German lasted less than one hour. A great Attempt to escape their difficulties by number of Tanks took part in the action, mother drive on the Channel ports, but preparing the way for the infantry, on the contrary, it is pointed out that The surprise of the enemy was so Marshal Foch's present thrust has pro complete that a Major-General was cisely anticipated such a move by taken whilst in bed and a German necessitating further inroads on Prince Division was occupied carrying out Rupprecht's reserves and as it is expected relief orders when the attack was ed that Marshal Foch will now deal launched. In the morning a great par effective German retaliation are regard | the course of the afternoon the Allied ed as diminishing. "This is practically troops' advance was accentuated, supadmitted by German newspapers, which ported by light Tanks and even cavalry. Tuesdays and Fridays, under stuff are now talking of a new defensive which put the retreating German

> The advance registers more than six kilometres on all average and reaches thirfeen an the middle of the pocket formed by our front in the German positions. The situation is therefore completely reversed. Instead of the embarrassing salient the German's made towards: Amiens, it is now the Allieb turn to thrust an angle into the enem front. The first result of this offensive is to completely free 'Amiens. This 1, Practices 3 and 4. front which was only 15 kilometres away from this town is now twice as Fourteen thousand prisoners have aiready been taken, also numerous guns

### ENEMY HOLDING HEIGHTS BEYOND YESLE.

LONDON, Aug. 9. Reuter's Correspondent at American Headquarters, telegraphing to-day, discribing the fighting in the Vesle Valley. says the enemy very methodically thought out the problem of holding the heights beyond the Vesle. Once across the river our troubles perceptibly increased. The enemys withdraw the bulk of his automatic guns to the wooded slopes, leaving only a few in the corn where they could enfillade our advance from the river. Many of these were silenced by deeds of daring. When the outpost guns were disposed of, a of the hills. We are now lying on the Hosie, Macfarlane, B." M.: Webb, J. R. hillside practically in the open, the German gunners watching every movement from a belt of trees above, and their invisible machine guns have a clear field of fire. Our gunners are shelling theirs with gas but, so far, with

out sensibly keeping down their fire. The Americans were first across the river, their engineers constructing trestle bridges from material cut down under

# THE ITALIAN FRONT. "

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FINE FEAT BY BRITISH AIRMEN.

FLIGHT FROM ENGLAND TO EGYPT.

London, Aug. 10.

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> The distance flown is over 2,000 miles This event gives full promise for the

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The following will attend :- Corpl. Edgecumbe, L.Cpls. Parry and Brown. Ptes. Dyer Ball. Stubbs, Sutherland, Williamson, A. E. Wood, Chapman, Digby, Kent, Lancaster, Wells, Wilson and H. M. Webb. Dress, drill order with pouches.

WEDNESDAY, 14th instant :-5.15 p.m. Noe I Platoon, Nos. 1 and 2 Sections, at King's Park Range, Annual Musketry Course, Part 1, Practices 1 and 2. Dress, drill order with pouches. 5.30 p.m. No. 4 Plateon on Polo Ground, T.E.T. Dress, drill order. 5.30 p.m.-No. 3 Platoon at, Kennedy Road Range, T. E. T. Grouping.

The following men will attend: - Sergt. Schnepel, Lce. Cpl. D'Azevedo, Ptes. A. Rowan and G. Rowan. "Casuals," of Nos., 1 and 2 Platoons will attend also. Dress, drill order

without rifles. THURSDAY, 15th instant:— 5.15 p.m. No. 2 Platoon at King's Park Range. | Annual Musketry Course. Part 1. Practices 2 and 4... The following will attend :- Sergt

bridge-head was formed and more troops | Humphreys, Corpl. MacKichan, L/Cpl. got over, and" we advanced to the foot Hancock, Ptes. Falconer, Hayward, Wood, Lawson, Donnelly, Franklin, Griffin, Newall, Tratman, Young and Carpenter. Dress, drill order with

FRIDAY, 16th instant :-5.15 p.m. No. 1 Platoon, Nos. 3 and 4 Sections, at King's Park Range. Annual Musketry Course, Part 1, Practices 1 and 12. Dress, drill order with pouches. 95.30 p.m. No. 4 Platoon at Headquar-

ters. T.E.T. Dress, drill order with

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TUESDAY, 13th instant:— 5.15 p.m. No. 5 Platoon at Cricket T.E.T. Dress drill order with pouches. All exempted men are attend this parade. 5.30 p.m. No. 6 Platoon at Headquarters. T.E.T. Dress drill order with

pouches. All, exempted men are to attend this parade. 5.30 p.m. No. 7 Plateon on Polo Ground. Hongkong residents will parade at Cricket Club at 6.10 p.m. and proceed by Truin to Causeway Bay. Instruction in T.E.T. Dress, drill order with

pouches and 15 rounds dummies. 5.30 p.m. No. 8 Platoon at Kowloon Docks. Instruction in T.E.T. FRIDAY, 16th instant :-5.15 p.m. No. 5 Flatoon at Cricket

Club. T.E.T. Dress, drill order with All: exempted . men are to pouches. attend this parade. MACHINE GUN COMPANY. WEDNESDAY, 14th instant:-

5.10 p.m. Nos. 4 and 5 Gugs at Head quarter. Dress. as above. FRIDAY. 16th instant:— 7.10 a.m. Beginners' class at Head

MOUNTED SECTION. THURSDAY, 15th instant:--" -5.30 p.m. At Jockey Club Stubles.

Dress, drill order without rifles. SIGNALLING SECTION. TUESDAY, 13th instant :- " 5.3 p.m. Parade at Headquarters.

Dress, clean fatigue. 5.30 pm. Hecruits of all units except "D" Company on Marray Paralle

Orders for Cadet Company by 2nd Lieut. J. E. W. Beard.

Cadet W. Forsyth is granted 1 month's PARADES. WEDNESDAY, 14th instant:—

5 p.m. Swimming. Fall in at Blake SATURDAY, 17th instant :-1.20 p.m. Nos. 1 and 2 Sections. Fall in at Hendquarters to proceed to Fai-wan. G. E. STEWART, Captain ....

Adjutant, H.K. Defence Corps.

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### WEATHER REPORT.

Father Yruarrizaga.

August 12d 11h 52m.-Warning to Hongkong, Coast Ports, &c. :- Typhoon in Lat. 20° N. Long. 121° E., moving Mr F. W. Cox Sergts. Overdene and Parsons, R. E., and N.W. at 8 to 12 m.p.h.

August 12d, 12h, 16m.—No returns from Japan and Wladivostock. Pressure has | Dr F. R. Curney decreased considerably over N. Luzon and slightly over Formosa; it increased, slightly elsewhere. The do- Mrs L. Dreyfus and Mrs M. Slade pression remains over Tongking, and the typhoon is situated in the Balingtang Channel to the N.E. of Aparri, moving porth-westwards

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.39 inch. Total since January 1st, 68,74 inches against an average of 57.66 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at ncon on the 13th August:-

I.—Hongkong to Gap Rock: E. S.E. winds, moderate; fair. 2.-Formosa, Channel: N.E. winds resh to storng.

3.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks: The same as

4. South coast of China between Mr F. W. Harris Hongkong and Hainen: The same as Mr Albert Hashim

# EXCHANGE.

Hongkong, August 12, 1918. On London-

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# HONGKONG TIDES.

The tide-table given below has been Miss Churchil compiled at the National Almanac Office Mr. & Mrs Coburn in London from the result of the analysis | Mr G. L. Coleman of observations taken by means of an Mrs Cormack automatic tide-recording machine in the Miss Dick Water Police Basin at Tsim Sha Tsui, Mr Donnell juring the years 1903-9.

the zero of the sounding in the Admiralty Chart, which has been found to be 4 feet | Mr S. Evans, M. 3 inches below mean sea-level To obtain the depth of water on the Miss Fulton ide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard | Mrs Fumagalli

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Telegraphic communication with Waglan Lighthouse is interrupted.

The Services to Germany, Austria, Bulgaria and the Ottoman Empire are susponded.

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HUNGKONG, 12th AUGUST, 1918.

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OFFICIAL NIGHTS IN AUGUST.

The following Table shows the Standard Time at which official night ends. Mr.F. B. Johnson de Valle Sir Ellis Kadoorie Maj.-Gen.F. Ventris and begins during the month of Barometer ... August :-Begins Ends. 7.08 p.m. 5.48 a.m.

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